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Applicants : Tomojiro SUGIMOTO et al.  
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**REQUEST TO TRANSFER MATERIALS**

S I R:

It is respectfully requested that the certified copy of Japanese Application No. 9-169007 ("JP '007"), filed in Japan on June 25, 1997 be transferred to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/094,286, filed June 9, 1998. JP '007 is not the application on which the claim to priority of the above-identified application is based. JP '007 is the priority document for Application Serial No. 09/094,286.

It is also requested that the certified copies of Applications No. 9-167629 ("JP '629"), filed in Japan on June 24, 1997 and No. 9-310500 ("JP '500") filed in Japan on November 12, 1997, filed in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/094,286 be transferred to the above-identified application. JP '629 and JP '500 are the applications on which the claim to priority of the above-identified application is based. JP '629 and JP '500 do not form the basis for any claim of priority in Application Serial No. 09/094,286.

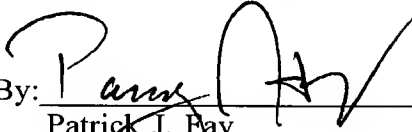
A similar request is also being filed in Application Serial No. 09/094,286.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney for applicant with any questions in regard to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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